

A JEST OF FATE.

By VIOLA ROSEBORO.

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Naturally I took myself and the dis-
creet Tige away as soon as I could.
That evening, as the stars were coming
out, I went and stood beside Elmore at
the lonely old gate under the holly tree.
A whippoorwill was calling in the
woods close by.

"Though I can't see any good reason
for it," I began, "I feel dreadfully
gritty about disturbing you today."
He turned with an uneasy look around
and a softly whispered "Sh-h-h-h!"
"Indeed, Elmore, you need not be so
uncomfortable. I need hardly say I
hope that I shall be very careful not to
expose a secret I have found out in this
way. I know that you must be mean-
ing to act for the best. How could you
help it with such a dear little girl on
guard?"

He looked at me dubiously.
"She is mighty uneducated," he ad-
vanced tentatively.

"She is one in a million. She has an
exquisite nature and a charming, ra-
tional, observant mind" ("much as
appearances are against her in falling
in love with you," I put in mentally),
"and her beauty is delightful."

Elmore's pleased surprise overtopped
other feelings for the moment. He had
a great faith in my opinion. Had I not
spent a winter here in the village, besides
various unguessable experiences in that
dim, unpleasant, but impressive world,
"the north?"

"I think she has a fine native intel-
lect," he said finally—"he always want-
ed to talk to me about intellect. "But
of course before I can marry her she
will have to be educated some way, and
then my mother would rather see me
dead."

"No doubt, but that is a reflection
that belonged to an earlier stage of the
game. I am afraid there are sad pos-
sibilities of constancy in this small
Patsy, and that she will wait for you
indefinitely instead of throwing you
speedily over, as she should do."

Elmore stared.
"Patsy is so clever that I don't doubt
that if you began tutoring her a little
yourself you could very soon help her
to the essential thing—an ability to
speak and write English as well as the
people you'll take her among."

"I think that is probably a good sug-
gestion, cousin. I shall consider the
feasibility of putting it in practice."

It was now dark, but I could see my
kissman's melancholy poet's profile out
against the western sky and I took at
it made me melancholy too. I was glad
to leave him and the falling dew and the
disconsolate whippoorwill and go in-
to the firelight house, to toast my toes
and tell myself that it was not my
affair. I saw that Patsy's fate hung on
painfully slender chances, and I was
young enough to credit my impression
of the seriousness of the issue for her.
I resented the way I was disquieting
myself on her account.

That resentment was rather grati-
fying for heaven knows I ceased to con-
cern myself about her soon enough.
We came to New York for the winter,
and my own life closed in around me
and in two weeks all the world I had
left behind was become like the crea-
tion of a dreamer.

The next summer we returned north
and went to a little embryonic moun-
tain resort where half a dozen old
friends of my mother, with their sons
and daughters, formed the company.
We had not seen any one from Strath-
boro, and Elmore and Patsy were still
in dreamland to me, when one noon-
day, as I came out of the dining room
upon the vine shaded gallery, one of
the servants came to me and said:

"Merky's little Ellen say, Miss
Adeline, dat dere young white gal down
to de kaleibit spring as is watin to see
you. I tell Merky he mighty becomin
in dat young white gal to come up
hyah to you, but she say dat she desire yoh
distance. She want to see de little Ellen
hah name, but lav, dat chile, she ain't
got no mayd on hah."

I got my hat and started for the
chalybeate spring with a misgiving
heart. I know it was Patsy. Yes, there
she stood, in a copperas dyed cotton
riding skirt, her white, strayed sun-
bonnet fallen back, as she strained her
eyes up the wrong path.

"Patsy!"
"Oh, Miss Adeline! You're mighty
good to come to me. It was fearful
bold and presumin in me to send for you
and ask you to come hyer to me. I care
your pardon! You're so good! I've
come up from the valley to speak to you.
I didn't know where else on the air to
go, and I hyern from the preacher
that you uns were hyer."

"Sit down, Patsy—no, come; we
will walk over toward the bluff; then
we will not be disturbed."

I took her hand as if she were 4
years old, and, comforted and reass-
ured, as if she were 4, she walked with
me. We sat down on a big log a few
rods seemingly from the end of the
earth, a great sky breaking through the
trees at our feet.

"Now," I said, "tell me all about it."
"It's schodin," she answered solemn-
ly, laying her hand upon my knee and
gazing in my face.

"Oh, it certainly might be worse!
What is it, Patsy, dear—you want to
go to school?"

"I've worried pappy tell he is plum
worn out, and he now say he air willin
to put me to school to git shed of me.
Yes, Miss Adeline, he sartainly have
give his consent, but Miss—Miss Ade-
line, we don't know the fust thing
about it, what to go, nor nothin, and ef
pappy have to worry about it he'll gin
up the whole project. Now he's made
up his mine he won't begrudge the
money, but I'm skeered of his bein
worried. When I foun' he was comin
up the mounting, I put in to come
along and ask you to help me, for I never
forgot how good you were to me, and
how, though bein kinfolks to Elmore,
you pardoned me."

Her face, with its brimming eyes,
was turned up to mine again in her
own irresistible flower fashion.
"Elmore taught me some," she said
presently.

"I wonder you didn't make up your
mind to go to Strathboro to school
where you'd be near Elmore," I said.
She flushed. "I reckon—I—you see,
I couldn't a-bear bein there and not



They saw me when it was just too late.

havin Elmore take no notice of me,
and," she hurried on to say, "I
couldn't a-bear to let him make trouble
for hisself by lettin people see his feel-
in's as long as I am so unlearned and
backward. I make Elmore be mighty
keerful—keerful than he likes."

We settled upon a cheap country
"academy" in an adjoining county,
where I thought she would be as little
discounted as anywhere and where the
head teacher was an acquaintance of
mine, whom I hoped to stir up to a lit-
tle special sympathy and interest.

Patsy returned home that afternoon,
riding behind her father, as she came,
but she repeated her visit several times
during the summer. That season had
now sunk into the position of a mere
forerunner to the autumn when school
began. I had a beautiful time oversee-
ing her dresses and making her look
pretty. She was a very superior sort of
doll. Once she staid all night at our
cottage. The way in which she waited
and watched for suggestions and ex-
amples of etiquette at table and else-
where, yet managed while pursuing
that arduous occupation to preserve her
own soft, bright, unconscious bearing,
was a bit of social skill such as a court
might not match in a year.

I am aware how improbable this
sounds to the unsentimental observer
of country girls, but there was much
that was childlike about Patsy. Among
other things, she was plastic, like a
child. Then, too, if she was from the
backwoods, she was also southern
which in this connection means that
wide reaching, deep reaching puritan
ism had played small part in checking
her natural instincts of social grace.

Our acquaintances were told nothing
about her, but they, particularly the
elders, let her pass with a gracious
born of experience of life in a poor
and thinly populated and aristocratic coun-
try, where anybody may be akin to
anybody and where kinship counts—a
state of society similar to that in Scot-
land, especially the Scotland of the
past. I feared, though, that the callow
schoolgirls even at Coffee's academy
would be less elastic.

I gave little miss all the points on
grammar that it seemed she could di-
gest, and she made wonderfully good
use of them. One day I said, "Do you
and Elmore write to each other?"
She colored and bent over her sew-
ing. The tears had sprung to her eyes,
but if I had not been a brute in the
way I watched her I never should have
known it, she recovered herself so gal-
lantly. In an instant she answered
steadfastly:

"Oh, not in course he don't like to
do all the writin, and you see my letters
would shame him, and I don't want to
make him consider how ignorant I am
when I'm not there," she added half
archly, wholly pathetically.

She realized any meanness in El-
more's attitude only so dimly and con-
fusedly that she could not be mean
enough herself to give the charge a
hearing. He was full of a sort of devo-
tion and subjection to her spirit when
he was with her, and, of course, was
assertive of his fatherliness in propor-
tion to his own distrust of it. Of course,
too, he was also proportionately anx-
ious about her.

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I wondered how it would be when
this coherent intelligence was brought
to bear on Elmore's colossal incoherence,
on something like equal terms. Or could
there ever be an approach to equal
terms so long as he had those eyes and
that smile? They even warped my sat-
isfaction in declaring him a fool.

One day Patsy's father twirled his
shapeless old white hat in his hands in
uncommon discomfort as he said to me:
"I don't feel no ways at ease in my
mine about this schoolin business for
my little gal. Patsy have the bes' head
my little gal. Patsy have the bes' head
in the house, the bes' head in the house
I allus say; I set schoolin before ef I
she could a' got of it for her. Ef we
had seen the schoolin a live in Strath-
boro, there might be profit in it. I'd
bore, there are an water to make that
go through here, but I kint feel at ease
little gal happy, but I kint feel at ease
in my mine about makin her differ
from all her kith an kin. I don't see
the nex' step satisfactory. I don't see
the nex' step."

To be continued.

SOUTH HARRISON.

Roy Johnson has gone to Saco to at-
tend school.
Flores Hoyt of Songo is stopping at
Royal Pollard's.
Geo. DeWitt and Will Burnham have
exchanged horses.

Myrtle Batchelder picked a full blown
mayflower, Nov. 8.

A little stranger came to the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson, Nov. 12.
It is a boy.

Mrs. Warren Page has returned from
a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Sawyer
of Springvale.

NEWRY.

J. B. Smith is quite ill at this writing.
T. S. Allen has taken a logging job of
W. F. Small. James Spinney is to haul
it to the mill.

Mrs. W. F. Small and friend, Kate
Thomas of St. Louis, started on their
Western trip, Wednesday, Nov. 15. Mr.
Small will remain in Newry for the win-
ter.

Brackett Small of Bolster's Mills went
to Mason, Monday of last week. Friday,
he came out of the woods bringing the
carcass of a fat doe with him.

McClure's Magazine for December will
contain the first part of a new story by
the author of "The Gentleman from In-
diana." Everybody who has read the
latter will be eager for something more
from Mr. Tarkington's pen. He certainly
has the gift of enchantment in a measure
equalled by few others of our young
writers.

The John A. Logan Post of Harrison
held a camp fire at Town Hall in the vil-
lage, Thursday. A goodly number from
the Harry Post of Norway, also from
Farragut Post of Bridgton, were present
by invitation. Dinner was served in the
vestry by the Ladies' Relief Corps.
Public exercises consisting of singing,
recitations and speaking by the com-
rades were held in the Town Hall.

The visiting posts were
speakers from their praise of the treatment
they received from the John A. Logan Post.
The Harrison Post numbers 27. Quite
a number in the last few years from this
Post have answered the last roll call.

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their systems. GRAIN-O is a pure food and
when properly prepared tastes like the
choice grades of coffee, but costs about 2 1/2
cents a can. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF MAINE.
County of OXFORD, ss.

Taken on execution, wherein Charles L. Hath-
away, of Norway, is plaintiff and Frederick
Hoschee, of Watford, in the County of Oxford,
and State of Maine aforesaid, is defendant, and
will be sold by public auction, on Thursday, the
fourth day of January, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock
in the forenoon, at the office of Kimball & Son
at Norway in said county, all the right and in-
terest of said Frederick M. Mosher of Watford in
said county, had on the first day of August, A.
D. 1899, when the same was attached on the
original writ, to redeem the following described
mortgaged real estate, situated in Watford
in said county, to wit: a certain piece of land
situated in North Watford village on the east
side of the Main street running through the
said village, said street being the westerly
boundary thereof and the same being known as
the John A. Green field and pasture, containing
about twelve acres be the same more or less.

Also one other parcel of land situated in North
Watford village, bounded as follows: begin-
ning at a stake and stone standing in the cor-
ner of land owned by C. M. Colledge, then north-
easterly to the Mrs. Caldwell lot, then north
31 degrees west ten rods, sixteen and one-
half rods to a stake and stone, then west 22
degrees south 17 1/2 rods to land formerly own-
ed by John A. Green, then south 22 degrees
east 1 1/2 rods to a stone wall at the corner of
then on said road to the first named bound.
Also a certain piece of pasture land in the
north-westerly end of the farm formerly owned
by the late Peter E. Mosher, situated westerly
between the said road and the road owned by
the said Peter E. Mosher, and containing about
thirty acres, more or less. Also one other
parcel in said Watford, being the portion of
the westerly half of lot number five in the 14th
range of lots in said Watford, which lies on
the northerly side of the road leading from
North Watford village to Lovell, estimated to
contain eight acres, more or less. Said real
estate is subject to two mortgages given by said
Frederick M. Mosher to William A. Manning of
said Watford, the same being recorded re-
spectively in Oxford County records in Book
261 and pages 355, 356 and 357 and in the 14th
range of lots in said Watford village bounded
and described as follows: beginning at the
north-east corner of James Brown's homestead
in North Watford village, thence running in
direction of northerly side of the road, then
from the main road leading from said North
Watford village to North Bridgton, thence
south-easterly on said road one hundred feet
to a stake and stone, thence south-westerly to
the north-westerly corner of said Brown's line
one hundred feet to the first named bound. Said
last described piece of real estate being subject
to a mortgage in favor of William A. Manning
of Watford, the same being recorded with
Oxford records in Book 263, page 351, being the
P. M. Mosher store and lot.

Dated at Watford this 16th day of Novem-
ber A. D. 1899.
THADDEUS CROSS, Deputy Sheriff.
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A WHOLE VILLAGE

Attacked by Grip—One Family Es-
capes by Using Fe-ru-na.



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During the winter I and my fam-
ily of six were taken with la grippe.
The disease was very prevalent at that
time in the village where I resided,
nearly everyone being sick with it.
Our doctors treated it as best they could,
but were very unsuccessful in the treat-
ment of it. As soon as my family were
taken sick I went to the drugstore and
bought six bottles of Fe-ru-na, and we
all took it according to the directions
given on the bottle; and although our
cases seemed to be more than usually
violent in the outset, yet our recovery
was prompt, and we were all well much
sooner than those who were treated by
the regular physicians.

Many people died of this la grippe dur-
ing this epidemic, and few any were
sick so short a time as myself and
family. After we were all well we had
one bottle of Fe-ru-na left.

C. T. Hatfield.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF MAINE.
County of OXFORD, ss.

Taken this eighteenth day of November A. D.
1899, on execution dated the twenty-fourth (24)
day of October, A. D. 1899, issued on a judgment
rendered by the justices of the Supreme Judi-
cial Court, for the County of Oxford, at the
term thereof, begun and held on the second
Tuesday of October, 1899, to wit:—On the nine-
teenth (19) day of October, A. D. 1899, in said
County of Oxford, against the Watford Manufac-
turing Company, a corporation established by law
and having its place of business and principal
office at Watford, in the County of Oxford,
and against Francis S. Packard and George L.
Young, both of said Watford, for one hun-
dred and ninety-six (\$196) dollars and one cent,
and twenty-one dollars and eighty-one cents
(\$218.11) costs of suit, and will be sold at public
auction in the forenoon, on the 30th day of
January, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the af-
ternoon, the time when the same was attached on
the writ in the same suit, to wit:—All the im-
provements and growing on the following de-
scribed real estate with right to enter and re-
move the same for eight years from the 15th day
of January, A. D. 1899, excepted and the gray birch
wood, viz: lot number five (5) in the eighth (8th)
range of lots in said Watford, containing one
hundred and sixty acres by the original
survey, be the same more or less, excepting
therefrom a small piece of about nine acres,
which said nine acres is bounded as follows:
Commencing at the southeast corner of lot and
Ebene Plummer farm, so called; thence westerly
to a mortgage in favor of William A. Manning
of Watford, the same being recorded with
southerly 38 rods to a stake and stone; thence
easterly 38 rods to the first mentioned bound.

Dated at Watford this 18th day of Novem-
ber A. D. 1899.
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organ, high case, walnut, with eleven stops, for \$55. One second hand Taylor
and Farley organ, for \$35.

One second hand Ivers and Pond piano in first-class condition, for \$150.
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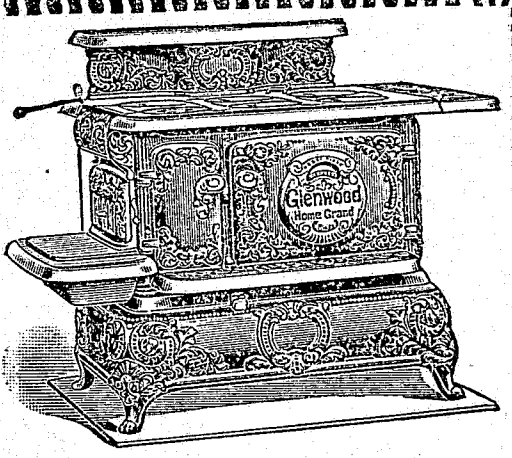
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tricity." Mr. Truth replied: "I have convinced them that it is not electricity." "What
is the power, then?" he did not know. It has always been with me, and the only thing
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known by his own knowledge—and that it accomplishes results. In other words, it cures."

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Nov. 24—Knights of Pythias School of Instruction, South Paris.
Nov. 24—Entertainment at Concert Hall.
Nov. 24—Waterford creamery patrons' meeting.
Nov. 24—W. of F. Thanksgiving ball, Norway.
Nov. 25—Thanksgiving.
Dec. 5—Pomona Grange, South Paris.
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Moses F. Newton, Kears Falls, has had his pension increased \$12; Phoebe A. Decker, North Waterford one granted \$5.

Weston F. Milliken, collector of the port of Portland and Falmouth died, Sunday evening. He was president of the Milliken-Millison Company of Portland. Mr. Milliken was born in Minot, Sept. 28, 1829.

Silas M. Locke of Roxbury, the well known bear hunter who has sold his farm to Swain & Reed, and will dispose of all his stock and other personal property at auction, expects then to spend some time visiting friends and relatives in Maine and Massachusetts and then go into the machine shop owned by his brother, a business with which Mr. Locke is familiar.

The students of Potter Academy on Thursday evening, Nov. 19th, presented the drama "Tomkins' Hired Man" and the farce "Box and Cox" before a large and appreciative audience, including a considerable party composed of the teachers and pupils of Denmark high school. The entertainment was followed by a social. The fall term of the academy will close on Thursday of this week and the winter term will begin on the twenty-sixth of December.

Maine Board of Agriculture.

Hon. John A. Roberts Elected Oxford County Member, Tuesday.
Delegates from the five agricultural societies met at the office of the Oxford County Agricultural Society in South Paris, Tuesday forenoon, Nov. 21. The following delegates were in attendance: OXFORD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Henry D. Hammond, Paris, Charles H. George, Hebron, Edward W. Penley, Greenwood, James W. Libby, Hartford, John Wyman, Norway. ANDROSCOGG VALLEY FAIR ASSOCIATION. Solomon F. Stetson, Sumner, TenBroeck W. Stetson, Orlondo Irish, Hartford.

RIVERSIDE PARK ASSOCIATION. Eben S. Kilborn, John M. Philbrook, Bethel, WEST OXFORD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Tobias L. Eastman, Dean A. Ballard, Fryeburg. OXFORD NORTH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Olcott B. Poor, Charles E. Cushman, Charles T. Poor, Daniel N. Barnes, Sidney W. Abbott, Andover.

A. C. T. King of South Paris, secretary of the Oxford County Agricultural Society, proxy for the West Oxford Agricultural Society, called the convention to order and Mr. Hammond was chosen chairman. Mr. King was secretary. Messrs. George, Kilborn and S. F. Stetson were committee on credentials. For member of the Maine Board of Agriculture to succeed John F. Talbot of Andover, two names were presented to the convention, Mr. Talbot and Hon. John A. Roberts of Norway. Mr. Talbot received the votes of the Andover delegates and the others were cast for Mr. Roberts who was accordingly elected. Convention adjourned.

NORWAY CENTER.

Mrs. Abram Lake visited friends at Xaggar, last week.

Walter Hobbs was at his home in this place, a few days ago.

H. G. Mason of West Bethel is stopping at D. A. Watson's for the present.

R. K. Morrill and Fred Grover went to West Bethel to attend the auction, last Friday.

Willard Mason has finished work at J. A. Roberts' and is looking for a job in the woods for the winter.

Mrs. John Bradley of Foxcroft spent last week with her sister, Mrs. M. O. Watson, who has been seriously ill, but is slowly improving.

School closed, last Friday, taught by Lizzie O. Lasselle, with her usual success. There were recitations by the children listened to by a goodly number of visitors.

In the Mill Cities.

Boston Sunday Journal Investigates Conditions of the Workers.

The conditions of life among the mill workers in New England have been the subject of a striking series of articles to begin in next Sunday's Boston Journal. These conditions furnish topics for discussion frequently at times of strikes, when the problems of Southern competition comes up and, in general, by the social reformers. The Boston Sunday Journal, in order to investigate the subject in a practical way, sent Mr. J. O. Fagan, a conservative man and a strong writer, to live among the people as one of them for a number of weeks. These articles are the fruit of his experiences there.

The Boston Journal has again taken the lead in New England by the use of half-tone illustrations in its daily edition, a method of illustrations which by its direct reproduction of the photograph, ensures accuracy and a more finished and brilliant picture than can be had by other processes. The use of half-tone illustrations in daily papers has been dependent upon the possibility of printing them satisfactorily on a fast newspaper press. This problem the Journal has apparently satisfactorily solved.

Sunday School Convention.

Oxford County Sunday School Association met in annual convention in the Congregational church, South Paris, last Friday. At half-past ten o'clock, President William H. Eastman of East Sumner called to order. Devotional services were conducted by Isaac N. Halliday of Portland.

Rev. Dr. William E. Brooks, pastor of the entertaining church, gave a cheery address of welcome to the delegates, who represented every section of the county. The response was by president Eastman.

There was a lively discussion of the relation of parents to the Sabbath school opened by Rev. Insley A. Bean of South Paris.

After a short business session and appointment of committees, the convention adjourned to the vestry, where a bountiful dinner was served.

Rev. A. R. Murray of East Sumner conducted the devotional services at the opening of the afternoon session.

"The Successful Teacher" was the topic of the afternoon discussion which proved to be very lively. It was opened by Rev. Thomas J. Ramsdell of South Paris.

After that Mr. Halliday spoke for nearly an hour. To give him his correct and proper title, he is field secretary of the Maine State Sunday School Association. He took up the subject of the various activities of the Sabbath school, giving a plain, straightforward talk on means and methods, and offered many helpful suggestions.

At the business session, the following officers were elected:

President, Rev. William E. Brooks, D. D., South Paris.

Vice Presidents, Little Androscoggin Valley Association—Rev. Bates S. Riddell, Norway; Androscoggin Association—Rev. A. G. Murray, East Sumner; West Oxford Association—Cyrus S. Chapman, Lewiston; South Oxford Association—Mrs. Lizzie Burnell, East Hiram; Secretary and Treasurer, Dea. Charles E. Tolman, South Paris.

Miss Lucas, assistant state field worker, was detained at home by sickness, and her place was filled by Rev. Smith Baker, D. D. of Portland, president of the State Association, who conducted a question box to close the afternoon session.

The evening session opened with a service of songs. Mrs. Cora S. Briggs playing the organ, and the male quartet choir of the church assisting. Rev. Robert S. Leard of West Paris led the service.

The committee on resolutions presented the customary vote of thanks, which were passed, as were also recommendations for more systematic study of the Word of God, and suggestions for home normal and primary methods of study.

Dr. Smith Baker gave the address of the evening, on "How to Teach." It was an able and pointed address, fairly bristling with good things, and formed a strong closing to the work of a successful convention.

EAST STONEHAM.

D. O. Brown and wife have moved to North Stoneham.

Mrs. Ann Hill is at her daughter's in Norway, we are told.

Mrs. Phoebe Decker of Waterford has been granted a pension.

Clifford Eastman has moved into a rent at North Waterford.

School in district No. 1 commenced, Monday, for the winter term.

Messrs. Brown & Keniston are getting ready for lumber and mill business.

Levi Butters and wife are going to move into Mrs. Lucy Allen's house, this winter, I hear.

Several of our neighbors have butchered their swine. Albion Moody, last week, had one slaughtered which was about a year old, which dressed, weighed 408 lbs.

Maurice Bicknell came near losing a cow recently but after a few hours she recovered. She got into an uncoccupied building, found a can of pork brine and drank quite a quantity of it.

A little daughter of Frank and Alma Grover, a little more than a year old, was severely burned on the side of her face, one morning last week. She was sitting in her chair and in trying to get down slipped and fell with her face on the hot stove. It will probably disfigure her for life. At present it is not known how much her eye is injured, as the lid is so swollen that she cannot keep it open.

Quite a number of deer have been shot in this vicinity, I am told. W. S. Butters and some men in company with him captured a deer, a few days ago, which they say weighed dressed 230 lbs. He had a good set of antlers. While out hunting, Mr. Butters and companions found a heifer in a sad plight and nearly dead. She attempted to cross an old log bridge over a brook and when about half way over or about midway of the bridge an old log broke, letting her hind legs down through in such a manner as to entrap her so it was impossible for her to escape. How long she had been there no one knows but it must have been many days without food or water to be so emaciated and in such a pitiful condition. Her legs had frozen and were swollen. She was past recovery and was dispatched. I did not learn to whom she belonged. She had been missing some time but being in an out of the way place no one discovered her before.

EAST HEBRON.

Mud roads are in order.

Samuel Bradford is buying new milch cows and selling again.

School in the Keene district closed, last Friday, Almira Brown, teacher.

Many invitations are out for family gatherings on Thanksgiving day.

Crocker Brigham of West Minot was in church, last Sabbath, in the place.

School in Brighton Hill district closes this week, Mrs. Emily Keene, teacher.

On Thanksgiving evening an Antiquarian supper will be served at the social in Grange Hall.

Mrs. James Heald of Sumner passed last Sabbath with her brother, Fred Keene, who is gaining from his severe illness.

The drama, "A Family Affair," presented by the Grange, the 17th, proved very successful financially. The hall was crowded. Each one acted their part well. Everett Conant got the quilt by guessing on a bottle of beans. David Record, as usual, cooked them a delicious oyster stew. The door and supper money was \$38.

James Fogg had a very severe stroke of paralysis on Saturday night and on Sunday had no use of his left arm or leg and apparently had lost his speech and reason for a time at least. He is the eldest man in this vicinity. He is nearly 95 and his wife about two years younger. She is anxious, fearing she shall have sickness herself, they have lived so very many years together.

WEST PARIS.

Robert Crockett has gone to Bryant's Pond to work.

W. O. Bryant is at work for the Paris Mfg. Co. at South Paris.

Samuel Ray has bought the Frank Hill farm and will move there at once.

L. H. Jackson of Gorham, N. H., has been visiting his brother, A. K. Jackson.

Bert Dill has got done work on the Grand Trunk bridge crew and returned home.

Rev. R. Leard and wife attended the Sunday School convention at South Paris on Friday.

Carl W. Willis has returned from North Paris where she has been at work for a short time.

Elroy Davis has purchased a piece of land of Levi Shedd and is going to build a visitants' shop there.

The wood rim factory is running a small crew, getting out some small orders they have received.

Rev. W. F. Berry, lecturer of the Civic League, will speak on the cause of temperance at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, Nov. 22. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. L. J. Derby of South Weymouth, Mass., who spent the summer here, will go with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Beach and two children, to Riverside, Cal., to spend the winter.

BUCKFIELD.

Thomas Brigham has taken the fepce from around the hotel grounds.

Morrill & Cole have got established and doing business at the C. B. Atwood store.

Robinson Dean returned from Worcester, Monday, where he had been to visit his sick mother.

The roof of the brush shop is being tarred and sanded. The shop is being tarred and sanded.

Died Nov. 18th, at Geo. Holland's an old gentleman by the name of Gilbert, nearly 85. He came from Massachusetts but a short time ago.

I. W. Shaw has secured the services of a young man by the name of Lawrence, a tinsmith from Turner, in place of A. E. Cole who has gone into business on his own.

The W. C. T. U. are looking after the needy to clothe and feed those who are unfortunate, and there are too many such. They meet with Mrs. Benj. Gerish, Monday, to prepare garments for the needy.

Well Known Hotel Changes Hands.

The well known Hotel Long property at Buckfield, owned by Hon. Geo. D. Bibe of Bangor Falls, has been purchased by Capt. Thomas S. Brigham, the transfer deeds having been made Saturday. The purchase includes the attorney's office on the village square.

Capt. Brigham intends to considerably enlarge the house and put it in first-class condition to accommodate summer guests, and intends to lease the same to satisfactory parties. This house occupies a delightful site, with spacious grounds and is one of the old historic places of the town. It was a prominent homestead of an early settler, and later of the Zadok Long.

It was the birthplace and boyhood home of Secretary Long, and the location of his first law office. The old weather beaten sign "John D. Long, Attorney at Law," still hangs on the wall of the house, and is pointed out to all visitors with local pride.

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Fred McLeod has bought a horse of Dana Morrill.

Edward B. Mason has finished work for Alanson Tyler and is at home.

George Rolfe and wife have gone to Rumford to visit his brother, H. O. Rolfe.

There was a flag raising at the schoolhouse in this district, Friday afternoon. A goodly number were present. The exercises consisted of singing, reading and a salute to the flag by the firing of guns.

PORTER.

John Smith is ill confined to his bed. David Riddell has built a storehouse and blacksmith shop.

Nathaniel Churchill goes to New York, where he will spend the winter.

John Smith died, last 15th, after a long sickness. Blood poison was the cause of her death.

Three of the best hogs in town were butchered, the 15th. The three weighed twelve hundred and seventy-five pounds. The owners were A. E. Rounds, D. A. Riddell and S. Stanley.

Mrs. Pinkham's Medicine Made a New Woman of Mrs. Kuhn.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 64,492]

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I think it is my duty to write to you expressing my sincere gratitude for the wonderful relief I have experienced by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried different doctors, also different kinds of medicine. I would feel better at times, then would be as bad as ever.

"For eight years I was a great sufferer. I had falling of the womb, and was in such misery at my monthly periods I could not work but a little before I would have to lie down. Your medicine has made a new woman of me. I can now work all day and not get tired. I thank you for what you have done for me. I shall always praise your medicine to all suffering women."

—MRS. E. E. KUH, GERMAN, Ohio.

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—MRS. M. L. SHEARS, GUN MARSH, Mich.

DENMARK.

Mrs. Will Freeman of Harrison is visiting at A. B. Ordway's.

Leon Ingalls has been of the sick list, the week past, and is still sick with lung trouble.

C. O. Pendexter had ten large cans of small salmon to stock the ponds in this section and put them in Moose, Sand and Peabody ponds. They came from the State hatchery at East Auburn and were in excellent condition with not a dead fish.

A. C. Eames, our high school teacher, and Flossie Jewett, assistant, with a dozen scholars went to Sebago, Thursday evening, the 18th, to a drama and social at Potter Academy. A fine time is reported. They "didn't get home till morning."

Several deer have been killed in this section since the snow came. Leonard Blake got a small one, 60 lbs.; Ellis Blake a small one, 60 lbs.; Greeley True, 75 lbs.; Percy Richardson one, 150 lbs.; and we hear of one being killed 250 lbs. in town by a Hiram Marr. We hear that several have been killed at Berry's Mills.

Howard Rowe, a young man about 18 years of age, has been working all the fall for his uncle, Stephen Rowe, of this town, lately went to Conway, N. H., to work for Frank Thoms in the woods. Thursday, the 19th, he was grinding his axe wheel caught in the stone, his feet slipped and he fell on his axe and it severed the jugular vein and he died in a few moments. He was the son of Albion Rowe of Gorham. His mother died a few years ago.

Walter Stuart is not as well.

Church fall at Odd Fellows' hall, the 22d.

A large animal has been seen several times and is said by many to be a wolf.

L. A. Ingalls has received a large lot of young trout from the State fish officers and put them into Moose pond and two other ponds.

Circle met with Mrs. C. B. Smith, the 15th, although the weather was bad, a goodly number were present and had a very enjoyable time.

EAST OTISFIELD.

Edward C. Loring has a new organ.

Maurice C. Kemp has been to Portland. E. R. Stone went to Lewiston, last Monday.

Hazel M. Stone visited at Peter Wood's last Thursday.

Harry H. Ramsdell has gone to Massachusetts to work.

S. H. Wardwell went to Brighton, Mass., Monday, with cattle.

Lewis Kemp from Massachusetts is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kemp.

Amy and Grace Wardwell went to Auburn, last Saturday, and returned on Monday.

School began in district No. 4, Monday, with Mollie Pottle from Lovell, teacher.

School began on Bell Hill, last Monday, with Margaret Everett of Hebron, teacher.

Mrs. H. B. Briggs has closed her house at the corner for the winter and is stopping at T. J. Everett's.

Mrs. Carrie M. Wood and Georgia L. Foster went to Pigeon Hill, last Sunday, to visit J. P. Wight, who is stopping at C. B. Fuller's.

FREYBURG CENTER.

The Rehoboth circle met at the I. O. O. F. hall, last Wednesday.

C. H. Wiswell is teaching a dancing school at his hall near his residence.

Frank Hurd of Norway has been visiting his father and brother, the past week.

W. S. Day has been cutting wood for E. E. Hastings at his camp near Kearsar pond.

Isaac Abbott is confined to the house from the effects of a slight shock of paralysis.

Mrs. John A. Johnson moved, Saturday, to Barre, N. H., with her husband, who is a barber there.

Mrs. Nellie Day Bisbee is to be married to David Saunders at his home in Brighton Center on Thanksgiving day.

J. E. Hutchins' entire family are at Hebron, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and son of Pittsfield, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Buzzell of Costigan, and will remain until after Thanksgiving.

ALBANY.

Tyler Cole has gone to the Lake region to cook for Mr. Ryerson's men in the woods.

The R. M. Club meets, Saturday, Nov. 25, with Mrs. Nancy Andrews. Quotations from Mrs. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cross of Boston visited at A. S. Cole's, Sunday, and Monday afternoon, after a day's hunting. Mr. Cross came into the yard with a fine buck deer as a trophy. Mrs. Cole got a generous piece for her share.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Clark and their son Fred with his family have all left their old home and moved to Bolster's Mills where Fred and M. R. Wilbur have purchased a saw mill, which will soon be in operation. Their old neighbors and friends part with them with much regret. They have always been highly respected by all. The farm and home which they are leaving has been occupied by them thirty-seven years and many years previous it was owned and occupied by his father. The elder Mr. Clark is eighty-seven years old, the oldest man in town, and is very smart. His genial face and cordial manner has always found a welcome with both old and young. Both of their wives are confidantes in this vicinity. He is nearly 95 and his wife about two years younger. She is anxious, fearing she shall have sickness herself, they have lived so very many years together.

Western Land Conveyances.

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Hiram.—E. A. Martin to M. A. Martin, \$3,750; E. Parker to M. Sawyer, 40; L. D. French to D. H. Riddell, 1; same to same, 275; John Pierce to Eunice Riddell, 25; M. L. Wadsworth to C. G. Riddell, 55; C. Clemons to C. G. Riddell, 100.

Fryeburg.—M. E. Adams to R. O. Brickett et al., \$300; E. E. Hastings, Adm., to T. L. Eastman, 270; M. R. Coolbroth to R. F. Chase, 50; E. E. Hastings, Adm., to M. R. Coolbroth, 405.

Sweden.—Stephen Farrington et al. to Enoch Knight, \$400.

LOVELL.—J. A. Farrington to H. G. Walker, \$800; same to same, 400; P. McAllister to M. F. McAllister, 500.

Brownfield.—W. H. Boynton to F. E. Boynton, \$400; J. M. Adams to W. C. Warren, 100.

Denmark.—Octavia Wright to Fred C. Alexander, \$895; Geo. W. Moulton to Fred C. Alexander, 200.

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SOUTH WATERFORD.

George Kimball is in quite poor health. Circle at the Universalist hall, Tuesday night. Allie Kimball has been visiting friends in Norway.

It has been an uncommon year. Raspberries were found, ripe ones too, in October and lots of strawberry blossoms in the pastures, due to the beautiful autumn days, but snow comes at last.

Helen Holt returned, last week, from her visit to friends in Massachusetts. Mrs. Eugene Kilgore gave a birthday party on Wednesday evening of last week.

Bear Mountain Grange has had a new and handsome sign put up on the front of the hall.

Mrs. Maria A. Houghton returned, Tuesday, from a fortnight's visit to friends in Bridgton.

Rev. W. W. Hooper, Universalist State Missionary, was in town, Tuesday, the guest of W. W. Watson.

Mr. Brickett of Chatham, N. H., has come to this village to go into partnership with Fred Wiggins, the trader.

H. R. Sawyer, proprietor of the chain factory, has procured a dynamo to be used in lighting the building with electricity.

Dr. F. S. Packard who has been spending the past fortnight in this village left, Monday, for New York to spend some time among the hospitals.

Bert Hall, of the Auditor's Department of the Maine Central Railroad, accompanied by his wife, drove through from Portland, the first of the week, to visit his father, James R. Hall.

Comrades W. W. Watson, W. H. Neve and G. O. Bailey attended the camp-meeting given by John A. Logan Post, G. A. R., at Bethel, on Thursday of last week. They report a grand good time, and were enthusiastic in praise of the hospitality of the Harrison comrades and ladies.

The following scholars were not absent during the fall term of nine weeks at the South Waterford school: Bessie Hamilton, Blanche Young, Mary Hamilton, Albert Hamilton and William Monroe. Bessie Hamilton and Blanche Young have the highest honor of receiving no mark against their names.

Several days ago, as Calvin Hamlin lives with his son, Charles S., was sitting by the kitchen stove in his stocking feet, a britanna teapot which had been left on the stove, suddenly melted and the hot metal dropped upon the top of his feet, causing a very painful burn, which is now, however, healing slowly.

Mr. Hamlin is eighty-three years of age. The entertainment given by the ladies' circle of the Universalist church, last Tuesday evening, called out a goodly number. There were solos by Mrs. Edvard Stone, recitations and dialogues, making an entertaining programme, which was followed by a few remarks by Rev. W. W. Hooper, State missionary. The entertainment closed with a social dance.

UPTON.

Lucie Morse has gone to Bethel to attend school.

Nice sleighing for the past week, but snow is going off fast.

Warrington Bartlett has gone to Newry to work in the woods.

Adana Brooks sold his cow to Will Sargent. Price received, \$25.

Silas Pease has gone to the Cuppus region, scaling for E. S. Coe.

H. I. Chase has not taken a logging job as yet. He is kept busy, looking after his trunks.

Mrs. Almon Cooleedge of Canton is stopping with her father, John Brown, this winter.

Steamer Cambridge sank in shallow water, but has been floated and hauled out for the winter.

Gerry Brooks killed two deer with one shot. James Bernier also killed two deer at one shot, the same day.

Your correspondent hears that Mr. Ryerson has hired Will Newcome and wife of Norway to run the Lake House, the coming year.

William Durkee and family, who have been at the Lake House, the past three years, have left these and are visiting relatives at Magalloway and Colebrook.

NORTH PARIS.

Anna Heath was in this place, Sunday, Nov. 19.

B. F. Nevers has returned home from Sweden.

Moseley Foss has bought a cow of Elroy Deane.

B. K. Dow killed a pig which dressed 373 pounds.

E. E. Field has sold a heifer to Chas. Richardson.

Moseley Foss and G. G. Fuller went to Norway, Nov. 13.

Mrs. Minnie Morse and child are visiting her mother, Mrs. Fidelia Starbird.

School closed in the Tuell district, Nov. 17. The scholars gave declamations and readings in good style, and were furnished a treat by the teacher, Olive Swett, who has made a success of her first term of school.

RUMFORD.

W. W. Virgin spent Sunday at Bethel. School closes, this week, in this district.

W. W. Virgin shot a nice deer, last week.

Gen. S. H. Manning spent Sunday at Miss Walker's.

Blanche Bartlett of East Bethel is to work for Mrs. J. H. Estes, this winter.

Mrs. H. H. Hutchins and daughter Helen visited at Mechanic Falls, last week.

S. H. Merrill of Washington, D. C., visited his sister, Mrs. J. H. Estes, last week.

Wm. Martin and wife went to Oxford, last week, to visit relatives. As Mrs. M. was leaving the car the train started, throwing her to the platform and quite severely injuring her hip.

WILSON'S MILLS.

S. S. Bennett is back from her very pleasant but brief vacation.

R. A. Storey has been on a trip visiting some of the New Hampshire Granges.

H. G. Bennett is shingling the bridge, while R. S. Bean has the contract for boarding it.

S. W. Bennett brought in a very handsome beakskin, Saturday week, from the Diamond region.

Minna Olson has gone to Errol to care for Mrs. Eugene Bennett, who has been on the invalid list for nearly a year.

Rev. A. V. Hillman and Rev. F. A. Rand, missionary workers, were in town, Friday and Saturday. A meeting was held at the Middle schoolhouse, Friday evening, to decide on the location of the long talked of chapel. No decision as it was a case of many men of many minds.

FRYEBURG.

The public schools close, Friday.

Mrs. M. R. Barker is home from Boston.

The academy students have organized a Glee Club.

Mrs. E. E. Hastings has returned from a visit in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cousins spent Saturday in Portland.

Clayton W. Pike, of Philadelphia, spent last week in town.

Frank L. Mark is spending several weeks at his home here.

Mrs. Sarah Hill and family have moved to Whitefield, N. H.

Mr. Jenness is on the street again after an illness of several weeks duration.

OXFORD.

Will Lombard shot a fox, Saturday.

Rose Crocker is quite sick with gastric trouble.

French is building an addition to his house.

Lottie Grant visited friends in Lewiston, Saturday.

Mrs. I. M. Keith from Boston is visiting friends in town.

Katie Conlton has gone to Boston for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. A. L. Hersey visited friends in Lewiston, Saturday.

Nettie and Lulu Martin visited friends in Norway, Thursday.

Mabel French has returned home from teaching school in Richville.

Miss Cummings of Albany is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Miles French.

Fred Martin went, Friday, for a few days visit to his sisters in Minot.

Frank Martin has recently completed a very convenient poultry house.

Charles Bumpus, who is a carpenter, has work for the winter at Hebron.

Thomas Conlton and Miss E. M. Bowie visited friends in Norway, last week.

Nellie Hayes is spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Swett of Norway has been the guest of George Wardwell, this week.

Singing school begun at the schoolhouse, Saturday, G. E. Monroe, teacher.

Some of Temperance held a social for the good of the order, Thursday evening.

E. R. Bennett, Hattie and Leon Crockett visited Norway, last week Wednesday.

Edith and Mabel French and Lulu Stone visited friends in Norway, Saturday.

Mrs. Rose LeSaw, who works in the woolen mill is out on a two weeks vacation.

Mamie Blake has returned from Gloucester where she has been teaching school.

Ethel Tribilcock, five years old, has been present at school every day during the last term.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bumpus visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hammett of Welchville, Sunday.

F. W. Farris, Ed. Draper, Joe Jacques, Willie Trebilcock and Howard Davis went for a ride through neighboring towns, Sunday.

Dr. W. B. Haskell who was ill, last week, and unable to attend to his professional duties, is much better and is calling on his patients again.

The remains of Sumner Brown who died, Friday, at the home of J. L. Holden, were moved to his home in Carroll, N. H., Monday. He had worked on a basket team for Mr. Holden three years.

The Oxford town bonds maturing Dec. 1st, 1899, will be paid at the Norway National Bank on or after Friday.

Bring on or send them to the bank and get your money, as no interest will be paid on these bonds after Dec. 1st.

The fair of the T. A. Roberts Post and Ladies' Relief Corps, Tuesday evening was a decided success. The stage and booths were prettily decorated. A fine program of singing and recitations was given. Ice cream was served and the hall was filled with people who seemed to enjoy the occasion.

HANOVER.

W. W. Virgin and Alvin Goddard each have captured a deer.

WATERFORD.

Lulu Pearson is quite sick.

C. D. Morse and Geo. C. Wheeler are both better.

C. H. Knight is having a furnace put in his house.

Mrs. G. H. Kimball is visiting friends in Milan, N. H.

Geo. H. Keene who has been sick all summer is gaining.

Mell Plummer is having his hay moved to Bridgton.

Will Allen is at work for Mrs. J. A. Stevens, this winter.

Dudley of the Lake House went to Locke's Mills on business, last week.

Mr. Richardson of Chicago is visiting his sisters-in-law, the Misses Knight.

Keoka Chapter will give a whist party at Mrs. Florence B. Rounds', Tuesday evening, Nov. 28.

The Congregationalist circle met with Mrs. E. W. Stone at Sweden, last week. A very fine time was had.

Mrs. Helen S. Willard is at Jerome A. Johnson's. Winn Johnson of Ipswich, Mass., is visiting his father, J. A. Johnson.

Mrs. Geo. L. Warren has sold her horses to Clarence Kilgore. Mr. Kilgore has taken the job to cut and draw the popular from his farm to W. W. Watson's mill.

Deer are plenty and hunters are very successful in getting their number.

George Muse has gone to letter O township to work for C. E. Ryerson.

Our winter term of school commenced on Tuesday. Teacher, Bessie Seale of Newry.

Mrs. Francis Wood of Randolph, N. H., visited her mother, Mrs. A. W. Far, last week, returning home, last Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Philbrook and little son Wendell, who have been living in Lawton, Fla., the past three years, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Otis.

Ruth Brown is home from Randolph, N. H., where she has been teaching the full term of school. Her sister Lillian, who has recently graduated as a trained nurse from the Maine General Hospital, is expected home soon.

E. I. Brown of Rumford Falls has let 15,000,000 feet of timber to be cut off Dartmouth College Grant and landed on the Dead Diamond river.

He recently purchased 18 horses in Portland and brought them to his stable in this town, where he is selling them. Last Monday, he sold 9 to the Davis Brothers of Errol, N. H., to whom he has let 10,000,000 feet of timber to be cut and hauled.

Several deer have been shot around here. O. A. Merrill and Jim Clifford got a nice buck, last week. Lewis Hall shot a big buck and Carl Newton shot one that dressed 193 lbs.

A social dinner was given, Nov. 19, at Ingalls Bragg's in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clark, who have been visiting relatives here. A goodly number were present and a fine time enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Clark returned to their home in Providence, R. I., Nov. 20th.

G. C. Barker is seen on our streets again. He has been confined to the house nine weeks.

J. C. Bacon and Arthur Howe brought in a big deer, Friday. They have gone to the lakes on a hunting trip.

E. C. Frost and friend returned to Framingham much elated over their hunting trip as each had a deer to carry home.

Herbert Russell was the first to bring in a deer. It was a fine one and he has sent the head to Shaw's at Buckfield to be mounted.

Viola Russell is visiting in Massachusetts. She will attend the marriage ceremony at Berkeley Temple, Nov. 21, of Fred Howard and Emma Stafford. George Abbott is keeping house for Mrs. Russell.

WEST SUMNER. William T. Bonney has sold a heifer for beef.

I. O. Swift is getting out lumber to build an icehouse.

Mrs. Ricker from Massachusetts is visiting at John Heald's.

DIXFIELD.

Hosea Whitman of Mexico was in town, the first of the week, looking after cows.

Blanchard Kimball, an aged citizen died, the 15th, of Bright's disease, aged 83 years.

A. D. Wentworth and H. A. Yetton have been stocking up on cows and hogs, lately.

G. H. Newman and wife have moved to Mass. A. J. Marsh has charge of the Newman farm.

Henry Luce has a crew of Frenchmen from Lewiston cutting wood for his village customers.

Oliver Newman, esq., of Lewiston is in town looking after some timber lots, which he contemplates buying.

Alex Holman has contracted to saw 300 cords of white birch for the Jay Wood Turning Co. W. S. Marble is to furnish the greater part of it.

The Canton Creamery has established a cream route up through this vicinity, which is getting the greater part of the Turner Center patrons on this side of the river.

Scott Philbrick and Thomas Grass have contracted to cut and haul 450 cords of white birch from the Amanda Collidge farm to G. L. Merrill & Co.'s mill for spool stock.

Ira O. Babb has contracted to cut and haul to Webb river all the spruce and fir lumber in the Siberia lots, so called, for Beare & Wilson of Lewiston, also to cut and haul to the cars 500 M of pine, from the same lots, for J. S. Harlow to be shipped to the Portland Star Match Co.

MARRIAGES. In Harrison, Nov. 12, to the wife of Eugene Johnson, a son.

In Paris, Nov. 16, to the wife of A. O. Corbett, a son.

In Denmark, Nov. 17, to the wife of Clement Bedford, a son.

In East Freeburg, Nov. 2, to the wife of Perdyburg, a son.

In Buckfield, Nov. 17, to the wife of Eugene Gardner, a daughter.

In Andover, Nov. 19, to the wife of A. C. Francis, a daughter.

In Andover, Nov. 21, to the wife of Fred Smith, a daughter.

In Fryeburg, Nov. 14, by Rev. Raman N. Stone, Melville Nichols Eastman of North Conway, N. H., and Emma Mae Lovejoy of Fryeburg, a son.

In Canton, Nov. 12, by Rev. J. H. Little, James Shannahan and Mrs. Julia R. Jeffrey, both of East Livermore.

In Denmark, Nov. 16, by James N. Smith, esq., Dean Abbott of Fryeburg and Mrs. Maranda Ricker of Lynn, Mass.

In Welchville, Nov. 15, by Roscoe F. Staples, esq., David Morse and Mrs. Rachel Smith, both of Oxford.

In West Minot, Nov. 14, by Rev. E. W. Webb, Harry Warren Beare and Cora Howard Bennie, both of West Minot.

In Albany, Nov. 18, by Rev. H. Gilpatrick, Llewellyn W. Ramsell of East Stonham and Addie M. Holt of Albany.

DEATHS. In Norway, Nov. 20, Mrs. Sarah Delphina (Parsons), widow of Benson Hawkins, aged 73 years, 2 months, 29 days.

In Conway, N. H., Nov. 16, Howard Rowe of Denmark, aged 15 years.

In Hebron, Nov. 14, Bradford F. Sturtevant, aged 66 years, 8 months, 20 days.

In Lewiston, Nov. 14, Dr. D. S. Webber, formerly of Rumford Falls.

In Roxbury, Nov. 15, Mrs. Samuel Richardson, aged 83 years.

In Fortier, Nov. 15, Mrs. Abbie Smith.

In Mexico, Nov. 17, Mrs. Maggie (Huston) Pinkham.

In South Paris, Nov. 2, Mrs. Stella (Dunham), wife of Thomas P. Sampson.

In Oxford, Nov. 16, Sumner Brown.

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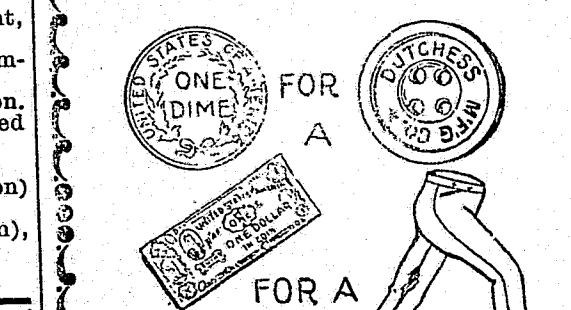
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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Mrs. Willard S. Francis of Bath has been visiting friends in town.

Honor Garney will visit friends at Hyde Park, Mass., this winter.

Mell W. Sampson's barber shop has been sheathed overhead with hard pine sheathing.

Charles P. Randall from Springvale has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Ephraim L. Jordan.

Horace G. Dinsmore returned from his hunting trip to Hastings, Saturday. He had the good luck to shoot a nice deer while gone.

Fred O. Stearns has graduated from Shaw's Business College at Portland, and has a job in the offices of the Portland & Rumford Falls Ry. Co. at Rumford Falls.

A. A. Keen from Haverhill, Mass., is the new foreman of the making room in the shoe factory of B. F. Spinnery & Co., to succeed J. H. Symonds, promoted to superintendent.

Past Master Lee M. Smith was elected Treasurer of Oxford Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, on and after the last of November.

Cyrus S. Tucker, Winfield S. Cordwell is a new Tyler of the Lodge.

Work was delayed a few days in C. B. Cummings & Sons' box shop and dower mill, by their big new engine breaking down last Friday.

It was necessary to send to Pittsburg, Pa., for repairs.

Verne Aldrich has come home from Shaw's Business College at Portland. Since he has had the measles his eyes have bothered him and he finds it necessary to give them a season of rest. He plans to go deer hunting, up country, before the month is gone.

Principal William E. Sargent of Hebron Academy was in town, Saturday, accompanied by three of the academy students, Miguel A. de la Torre, Victor Gonzalez y Fernandez and Alst Joh Uppeval. We understand that these students are Cubans.

Last Friday morning, Dale brothers found that somebody had broken out a whole lower sash of their blacksmith shop window next the street. Judging by the style of the break and the blood around there, somebody had tumbled through it, and then been able to pick himself up and go away.

Four days this week everybody could have their shoes dressed with Vici dressing at the Smiley Shoe Store free of charge. Friday is doll's day and every little girl can have a pair of slippers for her doll free by complying with the conditions in the Smiley Shoe Store advertisement in this paper.

At the last stated convocation of Oxford Chapter Royal Arch Masons, the following officers were installed:

High Priest, Horatio Woodbury.
King, Herman L. Bartlett.
Scribe, Albert W. Walker.
Treasurer, Eugene F. Smith.
Secretary, George E. Tobols.
Captain of the Host, Frank J. Barker.
Principal Sojourner, Walter L. Gray.
Royal Arch Captain, Horace E. Mixer.
Master Third Veil, Albert J. Stearns.
Master Second Veil, Minor L. Whitte.
Master First Veil, Eugene E. Andrews.
Sentinel, Winfield S. Cordwell.

Moses A. Webber of Iowa Falls, Ia., is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity and fox hunting. He is 71 years old and enjoys hunting foxes as well as deer.

He hunted with the Gammon boys last week, and got his fox. He was here five years ago and joined in the same sport with the same party.

The Gammon boys hunted with him thirty years ago when their feet took up a little quicker and their boots didn't grow quite so heavy along towards night as they do now.

Rev. W. F. Berry of Waterville spoke in the Methodist church, Sunday afternoon, before an audience of about 200 people, on the topic of the Christian Civic League of Maine.

Mr. Berry presented figures to show that not only is the liquor law less vigorously enforced, but that crimes of all classes, both felonies and misdemeanors, had more than doubled in frequency in fifteen years.

He said the reason was that the moral element of the State had been neglecting to use its power in the caucus and convention and at the polls. The object of the Christian Civic League is to stir up the people to their duty on this matter.

The charity concert in Concert Hall, last Thursday evening, drew a fair attendance. The apron sale in the afternoon, and the supper before the concert, drew a goodly number.

The concert was a decided success musically. Mrs. Briggs and Miss Sargent scored a success with their piano duet.

Mrs. Kimball and Miss Gammon, Mrs. Bradbury, Miss Deal, Mr. Kimball and Mr. Briggs are our home singers and we are proud of them, and they were at their best.

Perhaps Mr. Briggs carried off the most of the honors, for we all think that the best ballad singer to be found in a day's journey. Pleading readings were given by Miss Weston and Miss French.

Florence Stinchfield of Auburn proved a delightful soprano singer, with a clear, high, beautiful and easily modulated voice.

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my teens again," writes Dr. H. Turner of Denville, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at Noyes Drug Store, Norway, and F. A. Shurtliff & Co., South Paris, 41.

They Are Laughing.

All Turner, including the hero and heroine of the affair, is still laughing over a little incident that happened, recently. A young man was calling on his girl, one evening, and the two young people sat on a rustic seat beneath a window of the house, while in a room above were several other girls. Their motive was not made plain, but be it what it will, they got a pail of cold water, and poured it out of the window upon the adoring lovers below. They were wet through. But that is not the funny part. The young man resolved to be revenged upon the girls, and going to the stable got a force pump belonging to the lady of the house, and hid behind a hedge, and when two ladies passed, supposing them to be the girls who had doused him, he showered them with water. It proved that instead of the guilty parties he wet down his sweet-heart and the lady of the house.

Gov. Llewellyn Powers, of Maine, has issued a proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 20th, as Thanksgiving day.

WHIM-WHAMS.

A Budget of Statements That Are More or Less Humorous.

Yeast—I had corn on the ear today.

Crimsonbeak—Well, you've got some on your chin yet.

Mollie—What did you do down at the beach?

Chollie—Do? I was done!

Mollie—Do you know, papa can't keep his feet still when he hears music.

Chollie (timidly)—Well, please don't play until I get outside.

Yeast—Those Frenchmen are always looking for fight.

Crimsonbeak—Well, they better get over it before Dewey gets around that way.

Redd—Did talking of golf come easy to you?

Green—Some of it. When I got struck on the shin with the ball, I knew just what to say.

Fakir—Souvenirs! Souvenirs of the convention!

Delegate—Get out of the way! Can't you see I've got one? Look at the size of my head!

"I'm afraid your love is growing cold," said the young wife, arranging the last hairpin in her hair.

"No," replied the husband, hurrying down stairs, "but I know my breakfast is."

Bill—When Dewey's men were at sea, they used to say, "Let's go out and sink a couple of battleships."

Jill—And now they're ashore I suppose it is, "Let's go out and bury a couple of schooners."

Crimsonbeak—I always supposed the moon was cold.

Yeast—Well, isn't it?

"I'm afraid not. I went on a moonlight excursion the other night and it was the hottest affair that ever happened."—Yonkers Statesman.

Did Bobby Get It? Well!

"Will you have a piece of the pie, Mr. Goodman?" asked Bobby's mother of the minister.

"Thanks, no," he replied.

"Will you, Bobby?" she inquired.

"No, I think not," said Bobby, rather hesitating.

The minister looked at Bobby in surprise.

"I thought all little boys were fond of pie," he said.

"They are," replied Bobby. "I could eat that pie, but ma said if you didn't take any I mustn't, and she'd save it for tomorrow."—What to Eat.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

When a young woman sets out to shock a man, she is unlucky if she does not get shocked herself.

It is almost always easier for a woman to like a man she doesn't trust than to trust a man she likes.

The difference between a woman and a cat is that when you tease the cat you know she'll scratch you, but when it's a woman you never know whether she'll kiss you or tear your eyes out.—New York Press.

ROXBURY.

Mr. Locke has sold his farm to Swain & Reed.

A. L. Merrill of Roxbury pond bought an old steer calf of Mr. Locke.

Arthura Huston Nash has been very sick with pneumonia but it is better now.

Her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Richardson, came up to help care for her, was taken with the same disease and died, last Sunday night.

The deer hunters have had a fine time on the new snow. Fay Weeks, John Fern, Lon Philbrick and a Mr. Worcester.

He shot one, and Bessie Philbrick has killed two. Clint Porter killed a big buck.

Fine Specimens Secured for Paris Exposition.

Dr. Heber Bishop, one of the best known sportsmen of Boston, has been selected by the Canadian government to gather specimens of big game for its exhibit at the coming Paris exposition.

He has the right to hunt at any season. This selection is as high a compliment as could be paid a sportsman.

Dr. Bishop has for years hunted in the forests of Maine and Canada, not for the sake of killing but for the sport that is in it. He shoots only at such animals as appeal to him as being rare specimens of their kind.

He seldom goes on a hunting trip without carrying his camera.

Dr. Bishop recently returned from his first trip in search of trophies for the exposition and carried with him one of the finest specimens of a bull moose that has ever been taken into the state of Massachusetts, besides the heads of some of the finest of deer and caribou.

The trip lasted some two months and took him into the Megantic, Matapedia valley and Moose Lake valley countries. He is striving to secure for the Canadian government the finest specimen of eastern Canadian big game that can be found.

In company with W. S. Hinman and C. C. Williams, he starts on another trip on Nov. 20.

The star trophy of the last chase, the bull moose, weighed almost 900 pounds and had a set of antlers measuring 53 inches from tip to tip.

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Clean blood means clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascades, Candy Cathartic, clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body.

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Mason Bros' mill at Haling was started up, Thursday, Nov. 9, by some miscreant who left it running and skipped out.

A. A. Worthington, who lives near, heard the unusual noise and went to investigate. He found the whole mill running full speed and all the bearings hot.

He shut the mill down and looked around. Among other damage done was the running of the log carriage on the saw, stripping every tooth from the saw and completely spoiling it. The saw was valued at \$90.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, to know that people everywhere take pleasure in relating their experience in the use of that splendid medicine and in telling of the benefit they have received from it, of bad colds it has cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia it has averted and of the children it has saved from attacks of croup and whooping cough. It is a grand, good medicine.

For sale by Noyes Drug Store, Norway; F. A. Shurtliff & Co., South Paris, 44-47.

W. S. Merrill is to move on the Ira Johnson place and consequently wants to sell his farm. It is a good place and will be sold cheap. See ad.

WHAT AILS MANY MEN.

There is no need to describe the peculiar weakness with which so many men are afflicted—you all know what it is—it may have been caused by overwork, indiscretion, or inheritance. How to cure it is what interests you. You may have taken many kinds of medicine and found no relief—that proves nothing except that you have been working on wrong lines. A regular physician who has seen thousands of similar cases certainly understands yours. Such a physician is Dr. Greene, the leading specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, the discoverer of Dr. Greene's Nervura. You can consult Dr. Greene without fee or cost, personally or by letter, at his office, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass. If it is not convenient for you to call, Dr. Greene a letter—you will receive a prompt answer explaining your case. Remember that consultation and advice are free.

A Great Offer.

The first five persons procuring the Endless Chain Starch Book, their choice, will each obtain one large 10c package of "Red Cross" starch, one large 10c package of "Hubinger's Best" starch, two Shakespeare panels, printed in twelve beautiful colors, as natural as life, or one Twentieth Century Girl Calendar, the latest of its kind ever printed, absolutely free. All others procuring the Endless Chain Starch Book, will obtain from their grocer the above goods for 5c. "Red Cross" laundry starch is something entirely new, and is without equal, the greatest invention of the Twentieth Century. It has no equal, and surpasses all others. It has superseded everything heretofore used, or known to science in the laundry art. It is made from wheat, rice and corn, and chemically prepared upon scientific principles by J. C. Hubinger, an expert in the laundry profession, who has had twenty-five years practical experience in fancy laundering, and who was the first successful and original inventor of all fine grades of starch used in the United States. Ask your grocer for this starch and obtain these beautiful Christmas presents free.

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During the case he presented the case somewhat as follows: "I hire out middle last fall to work in woods, chop head first, quit when I d—n please. How much due me, eh?" And the lawyer was obliged to give it up.

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RUMFORD FALLS.

A. J. Knight is building a new road to his intervals.

J. B. Redwood and wife visited in Boston, last week.

Peter Blaquere and wife have been visiting relatives in Bangor.

Maude McEwen of South Brewer is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Williams.

Rumford Falls boys have had a good time at Cheney Hall, Nov. 30.

Howard Brothers have been getting out window and door frames for Livermore Falls parties.

Harris L. Elliott has had city water put in his house, and also made connections with the sewer.

The farmers of South Rumford clubbed together and bought a carload of corn, thus saving the retailer's profit.

Buckskin Sam and R. E. Taylor from Ben's were in town, last week. Both men have been lucky in deer hunting.

There will be a special town meeting at ten o'clock, next Monday forenoon, to see about raising money for a winter school.

Androscoogin Chapter of Royal Arch Masons came up from Livermore Falls, Monday evening, and visited Rumford Chapter.

H. C. Foster & Sons have the contract for furnishing more than 500 windows and window frames for the International Paper Co.

James Bradley and family move to Madison. Mr. Bradley has a responsible position in the Great Northern paper mills at Madison.

Delena Noel, who has been working in Gonyea's tailor shop has gone to Berlin, N. H., to work for T. L. Webb. Miss Noel's home is in Berlin.

Walter Raynes and wife go to Livermore Falls for the winter, where Mr.

Raynes has work with Wallace I. White, the contractor and builder.

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Thursday morning of last week, there was a drunken row in Morrill's restaurant on Congress street. Four men were gathered in by officers Lord and Elliott. Judge Johnson sentenced William Morrill, George E. Barrows, Alexander S. Bean and Fred Root to each pay \$5 and costs for disturbing the peace.

Wednesday of last week, Judge Albert R. Savage of Auburn, referee, held a hearing in I. O. O. F. hall, on the case of Charles F. Blanchard of Wilton vs. Ansel Dudley of Waterville. This case is a dispute on the amount of pulp wood which Blanchard delivered to Dudley in Webb river in the spring of 1898. There is a difference of 151 cords in the measurements of the parties.

The Freemasons had a public installation, District Deputy Grand Master J. W. Simpson being installing officer. The new officers are:

Master, John J. Calhoun.
S. W., Virgil A. Linnell.
J. W., George A. Penobscot.
Treas., James S. Morse.
Secy., Fred A. Porter.
Chaplain, Dr. H. H. Hanaford.
Marshall, B. W. Trask.
S. D., Frank R. Reed.
J. D., Fred O. Eaton.
S. S., Edwin H. Gleason.
L. S., George W. Langlois.
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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKeen and their children of Albany recently made his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gammon, a short visit.

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